

EAGLE SPRING LAKE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT  
REGULAR MEETING  
July 19, 2005

**Approved Minutes**

Tom Day, chairperson, called the meeting of the Eagle Spring Lake Management District to order at 7:33 pm. Other Commissioners in attendance were Nate Cobb, Tom Weier, Jeff Prokop, and Jim Pasterski arrived at 7:45pm. Town of Eagle Representative Don Malek, and Waukesha County Representative Karen McNelly. Five residents and one town resident were present.

**Approval of Minutes** – N. Cobb made a **Motion** to approve the minutes of June 21, 2005 regular meeting, Second by K. McNelly, motion carried.

**Weed Harvesting/Collection & Chemical Weed Project** – T. Day reported Jacks Bay requires cutting every 10 to 14 days. The rest of the lake is showing no significant Milfoil growth. The District is awaiting the DNA results from samples of Milfoil taken out of the lake, including Jacks Bay, and would like to chemically treat Jacks Bay this fall accordingly. Hydraulic repairs have been done to harvester.

**Watershed Study – Status of Current Projects** – T. Day stated that the contract with the consultant has been signed for \$4,080 of work for calculating the calcium levels in our water and the ability to bind phosphorous. Work is anticipated to be completed by the end of September and should show both past and present marl accumulations. Hopefully this study will be 75% funded and will be included in our existing grant.

**Dam Report/Lake Water Level** – N. Cobb reported he is starting the process for acquiring cost estimates to modify Wambold Dam, modify Wambold Dam to minimum size at Kroll Dam, and to create a new spill way. Only one of the three alternatives will be used. Bids will be obtained from three different sources. K. McNelly encouraged the Board to contact Meg Galaway to obtain and view videos on different Dam structures.

**Review of 2004-2005 Goals** – There was no update.

**Public Boat Launch Project** – T. Day commented that the parking spaces at the public launch have been overflowing. Comments from residents were made that the overflow parking is on the adjacent streets and in the Pub parking lot, and on Hwy E. They are concerned about the safety issues that this could present. K. McNelly made a **Motion** that the District is to send a letter, to the Town of Eagle, Lake Patrol, and Waukesha County Sheriff's Department, pertaining to the complaints of safety (emergency vehicles and excessive boat traffic), due to the parking of vehicles and trailers along the road sides and at the Eagle Springs Pub. D. Malek seconded the motion, motion carried.

**Lake Patrol** – D. Malek presented the Lake Patrol Report from June 13<sup>th</sup> to July 10<sup>th</sup>. During that time there were 32 patrol hours with 24 citations and 23 warnings. One arrest was made due to existing warrant out for the individual. Fireworks were displayed on July 3<sup>rd</sup> and the boaters were very cooperative. Boat Safety Classes are being held July 22, 23, & 24<sup>th</sup>. Complaints ranged from Personal Watercraft speeding to close to shore, boats ignoring slow-no-wake buoys and coming to close to pier on High Point. DNR still needs to put up a lock box for signage.

**Newsletter** – T. Day stated that the newsletters have been mailed and should have been received by all riparian owners. D. Malek requested the Town of Eagle phone number to be added to next newsletter.

**Periodic Drawdown** – The District has renamed this item as Temporary Environmental Water Level Reduction (TEWLR) to avoid confusion with the Drawdown/Dredge. T. Day commented that a fall TEWLR should have better results than in the Spring. The Board discussed some of the pros and cons of a TEWLR. J. Prokop made a **Motion** to support the conceptual approval of a Temporary Environmental Water Level Reduction with further research which will result in specific criteria. Second by D. Malek, motion carried.

**Other** – T. Day commented that the District's insurance policy does have coverage for their launch.

There have been zebra mussels reported at Krolls Bay, West Shore Line and other sites around the lake. T. Day requested that he needs samples of the zebra mussels when they are found.

There is a slow-no-wake buoy in need of being replaced.

### **New Business –**

**Other-** T. Day commented on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Budget, Income and Expenses are in line with what the District has anticipated at this time of the year.

T. Day is sending a letter to update the list of Mandatory Septic Inspection Notices.

A riparian owner commented that the creek by Nature Road does not have enough water for canoeing. T. Day commented that the river flow on Jericho Creek and Mukwonago River are very slow. He is assessing the conditions and has met with the Village of Eagle over these concerns. K. McNelly suggested having SEWRPC compare aerial photos over the last years.

T. Day stated that the Ground Water Town Hall Meeting was well attended by municipal leaders.

Wisconsin League of Conservation Voters has been meeting to oppose the Lake Michigan diversion in the City of Waukesha. T. Day along with Pam Meyer, Barb Holtz and others are taking a stand of no diversion.

**Financial Update and Payment of Bills – Motion** made by J. Pasterski to approve and pay the bills. Second by D. Malek, motion carried.

At 9:02pm, J. Pasterski moved to adjourn, second by D. Malek, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,  
Gina Krause  
Bookkeeper/Administrative Assistant